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Introduced by Senator Manuel "Lito" M. Lapid

RESOLUTION

CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING FILIPINO FILMMAKER MILO SOGUECO FOR WINNING A SILVER IN THE NEW ASIAN CINEMA AWARD AND A BRONZE IN THE GRAND PRIX DU PUBLIC AUDIENCE AWARD IN THE 15TH LYON ASIAN FILM FESTIVAL HELD ON 3-8 NOVEMBER 2009 IN LYON, FRANCE FOR THE MOVIE *SANGLAAN* (THE PAWNSHOP).

WHEREAS, the Philippine Senate has in several occasions paid tribute to outstanding Filipinos for their astonishing feat of bringing home pride and glory to the country by becoming champions in the international scene;

WHEREAS, Filipino filmmaker Milo Sogueco made the country proud when he won a silver in the New Asian Cinema award and a bronze in the Grand Prix Du Public audience award in the 15th Lyon Asian Film Festival held on 3-8 November 2009 in Lyon, France for the movie *Sanglaan* (The Pawnshop);

WHEREAS, the Lyon Asian Film Festival is an annual film festival that organizes short and feature-length films that highlights Asia as a premise and aims to promote Asian cinemas toward French audience and the professionals;

WHEREAS, filmmaker Milo Sogueco, through *Sanglaan* (The Pawnshop) has made our country proud and have shown to the world the spirit of Filipino ingenuity and excellence;

WHEREAS, this achievement by our Filipino filmmaker deserves to be commended for the honor and recognition he has brought to our country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as it is hereby resolved by the Senate to congratulate and commend Filipino filmmaker Milo Sogueco for winning a silver in the New Asian Cinema award and a bronze in the Grand Prix Du Public audience award in the 15th Lyon Asian Film Festival held on 3-8 November 2009 in Lyon, France for the movie *Sanglaan* (The Pawnshop).

Adopted,


MANUEL "LITO" M. LAPID
Senator